

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: COMPLAINTS OF HELEN ADOLPHSON AND CHARLOTTE SKALLERUP	DOCKET NO. FCU-2013-0006
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ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE (CENTURYLINK)

(Issued July 23, 2013)

On July 16, 2013, Qwest Communications Company, LLC, d/b/a CenturyLink QCC (CenturyLink), filed a motion for the admission pro hac vice of its attorney, Ms. Becky Owenson Kilpatrick, who is not licensed to practice law in Iowa. CenturyLink also filed the appearance of Ms. Kilpatrick and CenturyLink's Iowa counsel, Mr. David S. Sather, on the same date. Utilities Board (Board) rule 7.4(8) requires the attorney to state his or her agreement to submit to and comply with the Iowa Code of Professional Responsibility for Lawyers, which Ms. Kilpatrick did not include in her motion. The undersigned administrative law judge will assume this omission was an inadvertent mistake, and it does not affect whether admission should be granted. However, Ms. Kilpatrick should file her agreement to comply as soon as possible.

The motion filed on July 16, along with the appearance filed on the same date, essentially complies with the requirements of Board rule 199 IAC 7.4(8)"a" and Iowa Court Rule 31.14. The motion should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The "Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice For Becky Owenson Kilpatrick," filed by CenturyLink on July 16, 2013, is hereby granted. Pursuant to 199 IAC 7.4(8)"a," Ms. Kilpatrick must file her agreement to submit to and comply with the Iowa Code of Professional Responsibility for Lawyers with the Board as soon as possible.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Amy L. Christensen
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Administrative Law Judge

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary, Deputy

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 23rd day of July 2013.